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For: **DAMPING DEVICE**

Supplemental Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Supplementing the Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed October 7, 2009, Applicants submit the following additional Amendment and Remarks.

Amendments to the Specification are shown on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

An Appendix including Perfected English Language Translation of Amendments Under Article 34 as indicated on Form PCT/IPEA/409 and one (1) copy of Japanese Language Form PCT/IPEA/409 dated December 9, 2005 begins after page 9 of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036...